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<b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371</b>		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 129843-1180 (HARD1.088A)
		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.51) <b>10/593120</b>
International Application No. PCT/US2005/009409	International Filing Date 21 March 2005	Priority Date Claimed 19 March 2004
Title of Invention Multiple Mode Accelerating Agent for Cermertitious Materials		
Applicant(s) for DO/EO/US Hamid Hojaji, et al.		
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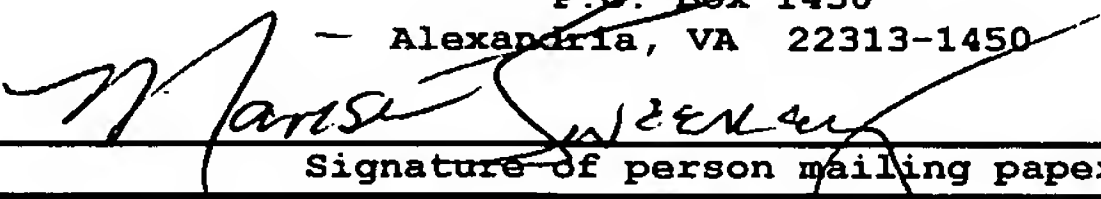
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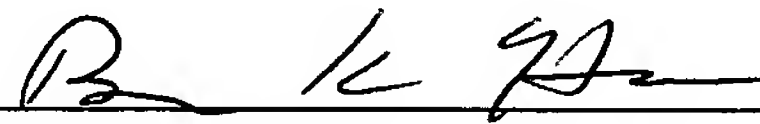
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